

SENATE RESOLUTION 116
By Tracy

A RESOLUTION to recognize Larry D. Kirk on the occasion of his retirement.

WHEREAS, it is appropriate that the members of this legislative body should honor those citizens who have performed with uncommon devotion and enthusiasm throughout their years of industry; and

WHEREAS, Larry D. Kirk is one such estimable person who has served with distinction for forty years in the electric utility industry; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Kirk began his career with Mississippi Power and Light Company, and in 1969, he started working with the Electric Power Board of Chattanooga; and

WHEREAS, since 1982, Mr. Kirk has served as General Manager of the Murfreesboro Electric Department, in which position he has earned the respect of his fellow workers and the citizens of Murfreesboro for the exemplary quality of his work; and

WHEREAS, a devoted professional, Larry Kirk will be taking a much deserved retirement on June 30, 2006, after twenty-four years of service with the Murfreesboro Electric Department; and

WHEREAS, an active and important part of his community, Mr. Kirk has contributed his time and numerous talents to many noteworthy organizations, including the Rotary Club, the Rutherford County Chamber of Commerce, and the Red Cross; he has also volunteered his time and expertise with Middle Tennessee State University; and

WHEREAS, deeply devoted to his family, Larry Kirk always endeavors to remain true to family values of the highest order; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Kirk epitomizes the spirit of volunteerism and commitment to excellence that are characteristic of all true Tennesseans; and

WHEREAS, throughout his estimable career, Larry Kirk has demonstrated the utmost professionalism, ability, and integrity, winning the unbridled respect and admiration of his colleagues; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we recognize and honor Mr. Larry D. Kirk for his meritorious service to the good people of the State of Tennessee and extend to him our heartfelt wishes for a happy and fulfilling retirement and every continued success in his future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.